

In re Application of:

TIMOTHY MERRICK LONG, ET AL.

Application No.: 08/903,743

Filed: July 31, 1997

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Examiner: C.B. Paula

Group Art Unit: 2178

Date: June 6, 2006

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COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a Preliminary Amendment in the above-identified application.

X No additional fee is required.

The fee has been calculated as shown below:

CLAIMS AS AMENDED						
	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		HIGHEST NO. PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA	RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE
TOTAL CLAIMS	26	MINUS	40	= 0	x \$25 \$50	\$ -0-
INDEP. CLAIMS	3	MINUS	14	= 0	x \$100 \$200	\$ -0-
Fee for Multiple Dependent claims \$180°/\$360						
TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT						\$ -0-

oVerified Statement claiming sm	all entity status is enclosed, if not filed previously.
A check in the amount of \$	is enclosed.

	Charge \$ to Deposit Account No. 06-1205. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.			
X	Any prior general authorization to charge an issue fee under 37 C.F.R. 1.18 to Deposit Account No. 06-1205 is hereby revoked. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees under 37 C.F.R. 1.16 and 1.17 which may be required during the entire pendency of this application, or to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 06-1205. A duplicate copy of this paper is enclosed.			
	A check in the amount of \$ to cover the fee for a month extension is enclosed.			
	A check in the amount of \$ to cover the Information Disclosure Statement fee is enclosed.			
X	Applicants' undersigned attorney may be reached in our Washington, D.C. office by telephone at (202) 530-1010. All correspondence should continue to be directed to our address given below.			
	Respectfully submitted,			
	Mark A. Williamson Attorney for Applicants			

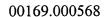
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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to the final Office Action dated March 6, 2006, and prior to examination on the merits, the Examiner is respectfully requested to amend the above-identified application as follows: